

REMARKS

In Board's decision of November 16, 2005, the Board upheld the examiner's rejection of claims 1-7, 9, 10-15 and 17-22, but reversed the examiner on claims 8, 16 and 20. Applicant filed a Request for Reconsideration and received a decision dated April 28, 2006, denying the request.

In view of the Board's decision of November 16, 2005, Applicant has amended independent claims 1, 11 and 17 to incorporate the limitations found allowable by the Board in claims 8, 16 and 20, respectively. In the Board's decision, the Board specifically found that:

Claim 8 is said to be representative of this group and recites reformatting the formatted order as a displayable quote if the formatted order was not filled. Appellants argue that, the examiner provides no basis for the rejection of this claim (Br15). The examiner states that Federal Register teaches that the quote is reformatted if the order is not executed at p. 31335, col. 3, through p. 31336, col. 1 (EAS).

We do not find where Federal Register teaches reformatting the formatted order as a displayable quote if the formatted order was not filled. The cited portion of Federal Register has to do with avoiding a locked/crossed market and not displaying a quote.

The rejection of claims 8 and 16 is reversed.

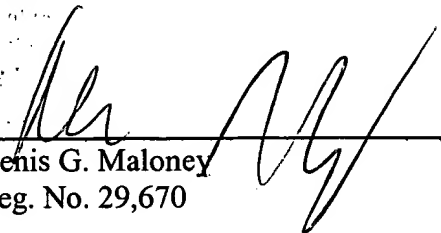
Therefore, in view of the Board's decision and Applicant's amendment of the claims, Applicant contends that the case is in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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